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An Excellent Entertainment, Dancing, Whist and Lunch.

The sixth anniversary of the institution of Constitution lodge, No. 88, Knights of Pythias, of Kittery, was held in Wentworth hall in that town on Friday evening and was one of the most pleasant social events of the year.

The entire upper portion of the Wentworth building was set aside for the accommodation and pleasure of the knights, their wives and invited friends. Nearly two hundred and fifty persons were present to celebrate the event and the affair was the finest the lodge has ever held. The knights were favored for their affair by excellent weather, which was a pleasant contrast to that of the previous year.

The exercises of the evening were opened in the lower hall at eight o'clock by Joy & Philbrick's orchestra of this city and the fine programme presented consisted of selections by the Carreno Ladies' quartette of Kittery, composed of Misses Lillian Jackson, Grace Ball, Mae Pettigrew and Julia Abrams, solos by Mr. Harlan Knight and selections on the graphophone by Mr. Edison of Portsmouth. The entertainment was received with a great deal of pleasure and the efforts of those who participated were thoroughly appreciated. All of the numbers were heartily applauded and encores were responded to.

After this excellent entertainment the floor of the hall was cleared of the seats for dancing, which continued until after midnight, the order of dances being a fine one. The grand march was started at nine o'clock and was led by Mr. Alvah H. Frost and Miss Annie Bill, followed by about sixty couples. The order of dances included the following popular numbers:

Quadrille,	Our Sixth
Waltz.	
Contra,	Boston Fancy
Quadrille,	No. 88
Two Step.	
Contra,	Lady of the Lake
INTERMISSION.	
Waltz.	Two Step.
Quadrille,	Visiting Brothers
Contra,	Portland Fancy
Caprice.	
Lancers,	Councillor
Waltz.	
Contra,	Tempest
Two Step.	
Quadrille,	Our Next
Waltz.	

At intermission a dainty lunch was served, and the lodge room above had been prepared for whist and during the evening a large number found pleasure in the game.

The gentlemen in charge of the floor during the dancing were:

Floor Director, Alvah H. Frost;
Assistant, Joseph M. Heeney;
Aids, Bertram F. Moore, William T. Burrows, Austin W. Trefethen and Walter S. Jackson

The committee of arrangements was composed of the following members: C. R. Wasgatt, George E. Gibson, Alvah H. Frost, W. T. Burrows and William E. Grogan

The Kittery knights are to be congratulated upon the success that has rewarded their efforts in behalf of the organization, which is in a very flourishing condition, both financially and socially. It contains the majority of the young men of the town as well as the most influential citizens and there is a prospect that its good work may yet be extended.

The present officers of Constitution lodge are:

C. C., Joseph M. Heeney;
V. C., William E. Grogan;
Prelate, Walter Jackson;
M. of W., Ernest M. Hanscom;
K. of R. S., Fred W. Cross;
M. of F., C. R. Wasgatt;
M. of E., Mark W. Paul;
M. A., Bertram F. Moore;
I. G., E. E. Bowden;
O. G., Benjamin F. Bunker.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The Ladies' Aid society of the above church will give a turkey dinner in Philbrick hall on Wednesday, Feb. 21st, from twelve M. to two P. M. Dinner, 25 cents. The ladies are working hard to raise money toward remodelling their church.

LOCAL SPORTING NEWS.

The Delapoon basket ball team indulged in vigorous practice at the armory Friday afternoon. The girls' team of the Portsmouth high school also did a little preliminary work for their next game with Strawberry Bank.

The bowlers of the Rockingham team have braced up in a truly remarkable manner of late, and may be counted to make a strong bid for the championship of the city candle pin league. However, the Knights of Columbus still hold a comfortable position at the head of the list, and their lead is not being diminished any too rapidly. The Marines too, are rolling consistently and well and must be reckoned with at at the finish. The Kearsarge boys are trying hard, and the Maplewoods are putting up a plucky fight against what appears to be rather hard luck. The Portsmouths continue to roll in the erratic manner which has characterized them ever since the league series begun.

If comparative scores count for anything, the Co. B basket ball team will have to do some energetic practice work if they expect to do anything against the National guard team of Rochester. The Delapoons have proved themselves much too strong for Co B and when one considers the decisive defeat which the Rochester Y. M. C. A. administered to the Delapoons, and then thinks that the Rochester guards have beaten the Y. M. C. A., three games in five, even the strongest friend of Co. B must admit that it looks bad for them if they play the Rochester boys. However, practice will work wonders, and it behooves Co. B to get to work in earnest.

If Portsmouth's bicycle track is opened next summer we wonder who will come forward to claim the Portsmouth premiership. Almost all of the old local racing men have either left town or have abandoned the game, and unless Ira Newick should decide to enter the field again, an entirely new crop of local men will have to fight for the title of local champion. There are many clever riders in the city who have done little or no track work, and in case the track is opened, and it looks now as if it would be, there will without doubt be no lack of championship material.

The date assigned for the exhibition basket ball game between the Delapoons and Wappanagos is Tuesday evening, February 27. The game will be played in Pierce hall, and will be followed by an informal dance.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of Ellen Flynn was held from the Church of the Immaculate Conception Friday morning, and was largely attended. There many flowers. Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan officiated. The pall bearers were: James E. Chickering, P. E. Kane, Edward Flynn and James Kane. Interment was at the family lot in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

The funeral of Lawrence D. Kelley was held from the Church of the Immaculate Conception at eight o'clock, Friday morning. Rev. Father E. M. O'Callaghan officiated. Interment was in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Undertaker W. P. Miskell.

The funeral services over the remains of little Ralph E. Peirce, the victim of Wednesday afternoon's drowning accident at the North Mill pond while sliding, was held at the Christ church at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, the rector, the Rev. C. leV. Brine, officiating There was a large attendance of the friends of the family. The interment was in the family lot in the Harmony Grove cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Oliver W. Ham. Few deaths of young people have caused more general regret than that of the little fellow who was laid at rest.

THE NEW HAMPSHIRE REGISTER.

The New Hampshire register and business directory for 1900 has just been issued and contains that vast amount of information of value to the residents of the state that makes it almost a necessity to every business man and a most convenient little volume in every office and home. The publishers are the Walton Register company of Burlington, Vt., and the book will be sent to any address for 25 cents, postpaid.

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ACROSS THE RIVER

Brief Notes From Kittery Gathered for Herald Readers Today.

County Attorney William S. Mathews of Berwick has just recovered from an attack of sickness which confined him to his home.

Acting Carpenter Herbert G. Elkins, U. S. N., attached to the United States receiving ship Wabash at the Charlestown navy yard, passed Friday night in town and attended the sixth anniversary of Constitution lodge, Knights of Pythias, of which he is a member.

Miss Mary Shaw of Portsmouth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Justin H. Shaw, Pleasant street.

Kittery will be well represented at the concert of Herr Otto C. deSheda on Feb. 26, and a large crowd of our best people will attend.

Miss Elizabeth Berry of Kittery Point is the guest of Miss Jennie Ferguson of Kennebunk.

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PEARL STREET CHURCH.

The pastor will preach on Sunday morning upon "The Joys of Heaven; Do They Exist Now? Who Has Them, and When do They End?" There will be a revival meeting in the evening, opening with a praise service at 7.15 and a gospel address.

Field's minstrels at Music hall this afternoon and evening, for the benefit of the Elks.

RIGHT ANKLE BADLY FRACTURED.

An Italian employed in the Boston and Maine work gang at Hampton is at the Cottage hospital, suffering from a very bad fracture of his right ankle. A big stone rolled down upon him, Friday afternoon. He was brought here on the 6:35 o'clock train in the evening. Dr. Junkins, who has him in charge, thinks that amputattion of his leg may be necessary. The bones are so splintered that they protrude through the flesh. The Italian's name could not be learned on Friday night.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot of Boston will preach at the Unitarian church on Sunday. Mr. Eliot is the secretary of the American Unitarian association and has recently been called to succeed Dr. Edward Everett Hale of Boston.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

There will be no work at the yard on Thursday next.

John Chickering has been off duty owing to illness in his family.

Paymaster James E. Cann, U. S. N., is recovering from his recent illness.

J. E. Bell of Dover has been appointed ship keeper to succeed J. W. Leavitt.

In about a month the yard will take on a new lease of life and business boom once more.

The plan is to have the Spanish warship Reina Mercedes leave Norfolk in May on her trip north.

Naval Constructor John G. Tawresey, U. S. N., has been ordered to Washington on temporary duty.

Captain William H. Harris, U. S. N., went to Boston on Friday evening, to attend the meeting of the naval engineers.

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CURRENCY BILL PASSED

Goes Through Senate by a Big Majority.

ONLY ONE AMENDMENT CARRIED.

One Republican, Chandler, Voted Against the Bill; Two Democrats, Caffery and Lindsay, For It—Some of the Features of the Measure.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The senate substitute for the house currency bill was passed by the senate yesterday by the decisive majority of 46 to 29.

Prior to the final passage of the bill amendments were considered under the ten minute rule. Only two of these amendments were adopted—viz., one offered by the finance committee keeping the door open to international bimetallism and one by Mr. Nelson of Minnesota providing for national banks with $25,000 capital in towns of not more than 4,000 inhabitants. The votes taken on the various amendments offered were practically along party lines. Mr. Chandler (Rep., N. H.) voted for the bimetallic amendment, but against the bill. Mr. Caffery (Dem., La.) and Mr. Lindsay (Dem., Ky.) voted against the committee amendment, but for the bill. Mr. Kyle of South Dakota was the only senator who did not vote and was not paired. The free silver substitute offered by Mr. Jones, the leader of the Democratic side, was defeated by a majority of 19, the vote being 47 to 28.

The bill as passed consists of ten sections. It provides that the dollar of 28 8-10 grains of gold, nine-tenths fine, shall be the standard unit of value and that all forms of United States money shall be maintained at a parity with it, and that treasury notes and greenbacks shall be redeemable in gold.

Redemption of Notes.

The secretary of the treasury is to set apart a fund of $150,000,000 in gold for the redemption of these notes, and to maintain this fund at a figure not below $100,000,000 he is empowered to sell bonds of the United States bearing interest at not exceeding 3 per cent.

It shall also be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, as fast as the standard silver dollars are coined, to require an equal amount of treasury notes and to issue silver certificates against the silver so coined. Under certain provisions, too, gold certificates shall be issued against the gold held in the treasury. No United States notes or treasury notes shall be issued in denominations of less than $10 and no silver certificates in denominations of more than $10.

The secretary of the treasury is also authorized to refund the bonded debt of the United States in 30 year bonds bearing 2 per cent interest, the principal and interest of these bonds to be paid in gold. The 2 per cent bonds shall be issued at not less than par. Any national bank, by depositing with the United States bonds of this country, shall be permitted to issue circulating notes to the face value of the bonds deposited, no bank being allowed to issue circulating notes in excess of the amount of the paid in capital stock of the bank.

Mason and Dixon's Line Revived.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 16.—A bill appropriating $5,000 to be added to a like sum already appropriated by the state of Pennsylvania for the purpose of restoring the Mason and Dixon's line, which had been unfavorably reported by the finance committee of the senate, was called up in the senate yesterday by Senator Williams of Harford county. After a struggle the vote by which the unfavorable report had been adopted was reconsidered and the bill substituted for the unfavorable report. The bill will pass the senate and it is thought will get through the house by a narrow margin.

Flour Seizure Report.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Responding to the resolution of Jan. 17, the president has sent to the senate a report from the secretary of state, with accompanying papers, showing the steps that have been taken to obtain the restitution of property of American citizens seized by the military authorities of Great Britain in and near Delagoa Bay, South Africa. The report consists entirely of correspondence between the state department and Embassador Choate and the British government. The fact that the flour seized had been released was published some time ago.

Floods Cause Suffering.

Albany, Feb. 16.—The freshet here has receded five feet since yesterday. The fall of the water is gradual, at the rate of two or three inches an hour. The United Traction company's power house was so far free from water that cars could be operated last night for the first time in 40 hours. The condition of the poor in the southern districts of the city along the river front is pitiable, and the charity authorities are doing their best to relieve the suffering. Contributions are pouring in, and already food and clothing to the amount of $2,000 has been distributed.

Prison Officials Ignore Taylor.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—The clash between the Democratic and Republican branches of the state government was emphasized last night by the prison officials releasing John Seals, a Louisville convict, on a pardon issued by Governor Beckham. Deputy Warden Punch was acting warden, and when the pardon papers were presented to him he ordered Seals released, and the latter left the city last night.

Bolo Men Attack a Garrison.

Manila, Feb. 16.—Insurgent forces estimated to number 5,000 soldiers, mostly bolo men, attacked the American garrison in the convent at Daroga, in the province of Albay, during the night of Feb. 5. They were repulsed, however, after they had burned much of the town. One lieutenant wounded was the only loss sustained by the Americans.

United States Canal Commission.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 16.—The United States canal commission has arrived at Granada after completing the examination of the ship canal route across Nicaragua. All the members are in good health.

Dry Goods Store Burglarized.

Elmira, N. Y., Feb. 16.—A New Milford (Pa.) special says that the dry goods store of Sheip & Risley has been burglarized, the thieves securing several hundred dollars' worth of goods.

REBELS SHOW ACTIVITY.

Otis Sends Troops After Those In Camarines Province.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The adjutant general has received a cable message from General Otis giving a brief outline of the progress of military operations in the Philippines since his last report of several days ago announcing the opening of the hemp ports in southern Luzon. The dispatch is as follows:

"Bates has left with two regiments and battery of artillery on transports for San Miguel bay, province of Camarines Sur, to move on Nueva Caceras and towns in that section. The road east from Atimonan through the province of Tayabas is not practicable for troops.

"The insurgents in Camarines show considerable activity and make attacks on our troops along the southeastern coast of Luzon island. It is reported that they hold several hundred Spanish and a few American prisoners in the vicinity of Nueva Caceras. Kobbe, with two regiments, occupies the southeastern extremity of Luzon from Tobaco, on the north, to Donsol, on the south; also all important points of the islands of Catanduanes, Samar and Leyte.

"The conditions throughout the Philippines are gradually improving. All coasting vessels are now engaged in transporting merchandise and products. The ladrone element is troublesome in all of the islands and keeps troops very actively engaged."

Miss Anthony Honored.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Several thousand people, including the delegates to the National American Woman's Suffrage association, which has just concluded its annual session here, assembled at the Lafayette Opera House yesterday to do homage to Susan B. Anthony. Addresses conveying greetings from various state associations and other bodies were made, the speakers including Mrs. Humphrey Gaffney of the National Council of Women of Illinois, Mrs. May Wright Sewell, president of the International Council of Women; Rev. Ida C. Hulton, from the ministry; Diana Hirschler, the law; Lillian M. Hollister, representing the business women; Cornelia Franklin Cook, the colored woman; Ellen Powell Thompson, the District of Columbia Equal Suffrage association, and Rev. Anna Howard Shaw and Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch, the greetings of the world. The greetings and gifts from the enfranchised states were made by Mrs. Warren, the wife of Senator Warren of Wyoming; Virginia M. Shafroth of Colorado, a magnificent silver loving cup; Emily S. Richards of Utah and Nell C. Woods of Idaho.

Dead Soldiers From Cuba.

Santiago, Cuba, Feb. 16.—The United States transport McPherson has left for the United States, carrying the bodies of 200 American soldiers, including 74 who died of yellow fever last year. On its becoming known that the bodies were on board several members of families of American officers who had intended returning to New York by the transport refused to go. The health officers assured them that no risk would be run, as the bodies had been deposited for months in the business portion of the city without the knowledge of those in the locality, and no infection had resulted, notwithstanding the extremely hot weather. At Baracoa and Mayari, on the north coast of the island, the McPherson will take on additional bodies.

Albany Rumor Denied.

Albany, Feb. 16.—In regard to the report that the Republican majority had determined upon a final adjournment of the legislature on March 23 and that all big measures which might occasion debate will be laid aside in consequence Leader Allds of the assembly states emphatically that no such policy is contemplated. "It is desired," he said, "that the legislature should adjourn as early as possible, but no important measure, and especially none of the big financial measures, is to be sacrificed." Chairman B. B. Odell of the Republican state committee stated that the report that any important legislation was to be sacrificed to an early adjournment was news to him.

Macrum's Story Corroborated.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—Charles Grote, an American of Dutch descent, who until a short time before the breaking out of the war in South Africa was employed as an engineer in the Geldenhuis mines, near Johannesburg, stated that he appealed to Charles E. Macrum, ex-consul at Pretoria, for a permit enabling him to stay in the country until his American papers could be sent to Pretoria, but owing to the fact that Consul Macrum was unable to communicate with the United States he was compelled to leave South Africa.

Bills Signed by Governor Roosevelt.

Albany, Feb. 16.—Governor Roosevelt has signed the following bills: Mr. Hill's, appropriating $11,552, the unexpended balance of a former appropriation to be expended for expenses of the canal advisory commission; Mr. Davison's, appropriating $8,000 additional for rebuilding a canal bridge at Brockport; Mr. Fallows', providing for the payment of arrears of salary and unpaid salaries of teachers and other employees of the school boards of the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, New York city.

High Prices For Horses.

New York, Feb. 16. Sensational prices marked the sale in Madison Square Garden of trotting horses owned by the late Robert Bonner. Pray Tell, 2:09¾, for which Mr. Bonner paid $5,000, brought $6,100; Sunol, 2:08¼, now 11 years old, brought $4,000, Worthier, 2:19¼, grandson of George Wilkes, sold for $3,500. Others sold as high as $2,900, and none went below $1,000.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has decided to raise wages of all engineers.

Mrs. Rachael B. Crane of Peekskill, N. Y., has given $50,000 to the home mission board of the Presbyterian church and $50,000 to its foreign mission board.

The fight for the heavyweight championship between Corbett and Jeffries will take place at the Seaside Athletic club, Coney Island, on May 14.

The 1,800 employees of G. F. Markle & Co. of Hazleton, Pa., anthracite coal mine operators, have been notified of a 5 per cent increase in their wages, the second advance in the last two months.

Provost Harrison of the University of Pennsylvania has announced that a gift of $25,000 has been made to the university by Mrs. Thomas McKean of Philadelphia. The gift is made in memory of Mrs. McKean's father, the late George M. Wharton.

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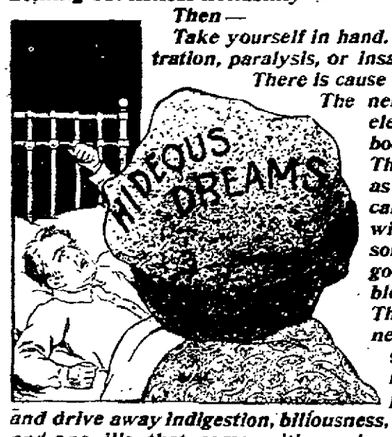

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NO SECRET ALLIANCE.

State Department Official Discredits Macrum's Charges.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Administration officials do not appear to be disturbed by the allegations of Charles E. Macrum, former consul to Pretoria. The most significant declaration made by a high official of the state department was in answer to Mr. Macrum's innuendo relative to a secret alliance between the United States and Great Britain.

"The United States," said the official, "is the only one of the civilized nations which is unable to make a secret alliance with another power. European cabinets can negotiate and have engaged in secret alliances, but the United States is prohibited by its constitution from making a treaty or alliance which has not been submitted to the senate and ratified by that body. Consequently, the administration has never entered into an agreement in the nature of an alliance or an understanding of such a character with Great Britain, nor has it any intention of doing so."

The official statement which the department gave out in reply to Mr. Macrum's allegations states that a search of the records failed to show that Mr. Macrum had ever reported to the department that his official mail was being regularly tampered with by the British authorities. It was said that he did, in a general way, report that both official and private mail intended for American citizens did not reach him punctually and asked that protest be made on account of this rather arbitrary proceeding on the part of the postal authorities.

The department investigated the matter and learned that no unnecessary delay existed, and it does not credit the statement that any correspondence, official or otherwise, was opened, inspected and delayed by British authorities.

Mr. Macrum stated that the vice consul, Mr. Van Ameringen, closed up his business, took the oath of allegiance to the republic and went to the front as a burgher. The records show that when Mr. Van Ameringen applied for appointment as vice consul at Pretoria he stated that he was born in Holland; that his legal residence was in Pretoria, and that he was a naturalized citizen of the South African Republic. This application was dated Pretoria, Nov. 12, 1888.

Notwithstanding the answer of the department Democrats propose to keep the charge before the public by pressing a resolution of inquiry and by discussing it in the senate and house.

REBELS TORTURE SOLDIERS

Three Massachusetts Men Barbarously Murdered.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The special cablegram to The Globe from a staff correspondent at Iloilo says:

"It has just been discovered as the result of an investigation that three Massachusetts soldiers of the Twenty-sixth regiment, United States volunteers, have been tortured to death by insurgents. The men were Dennis Hayes, William Dugan and Michael Tracey, privates of Company F, under Captain William M. Tutherly. They remained behind the column at Calinog last November to get a tuba and refused to accompany the corporal sent by Captain Tutherly to bring them along. They were captured by the insurgents hanging on the rear of the column and were cruelly tortured and murdered by the rebels in the public plaza at Calinog, the action being countenanced by the Spanish priest.

"The priest has since left his parish for the mountains. When the men remained behind, they had with them their full equipment of arms and ammunition, which was captured."

Train Robbers In Arizona.

Denver, Feb. 16.—A special dispatch to The News from Benson, A. T., says that the New Mexico and Arizona passenger train which left Benson for Nogales was held up by two robbers at Fairbanks, 20 miles below Benson, last night. Express Messenger Milligan was shot several times. Milligan had just delivered his package from Lordsburg and was going back into his car when he was commanded to open his safe. Instead of complying with the request he grabbed his Winchester and made a brave fight. He succeeded in holding them at bay until help reached him, and the robbers were driven off. The robbers did not secure any booty and left, going in the direction of Old Mexico. Milton was brought to Benson and will be sent to Tucson on a special train. Officers from Benson and Tombstone have left for the scene of the hold up.

Bryan In Charleston.

Charleston, Feb. 16.—William J. Bryan arrived here at 8.25 o'clock last evening, accompanied by the special committee of aldermen and citizens who were sent to Columbia to invite him to Charleston. He was met at the Line street station by Mayor Smith, the members of the city council and a large crowd of citizens. Colonel Bryan was driven at once to the Thomson Memorial auditorium, where he was to speak. The building has a seating capacity of 7,500. The main floor and galleries were filled, and hundreds of people were standing in the aisles. There was a great demonstration when Mr. Bryan appeared on the stage. Men and women stood on chairs, waved their hats and cheered Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan spoke for two hours on the money question, trusts and imperialism.

Three People Asphyxiated.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Jeanette Schwartz and her two children, Lulu, aged 9 years, and Henrietta, 4 months old, were found dead in bed here as the result of asphyxiation. Mrs. Schwartz was the wife of J. T. Schwartz, a saloon keeper. While he was serving customers in the front of the building the members of his family, occupying rooms in the rear, were being slowly smothered. It is supposed the jets were accidentally turned on.

Hernandez's Troops Win.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Feb. 16.—The latest advices from Venezuela are that the Hernandez revolution is active and is gaining. General Ron, commanding a force of revolutionists, attacked 1,200 government troops under Generals Martin and Guevara at Guarico. The government troops were defeated. Eight hundred rifles and a large quantity of ammunition fell into the hands of the revolutionists.

The Plague In Honolulu.

Honolulu, Feb. 9, via San Francisco, Feb. 16. Five cases of plague have developed since the Alameda sailed Feb. 2. Among the stricken ones are two white men, J. Weir Robertson, a clerk in a large hardware store, and A. H. Hartman, a stableman, who recently came from San Francisco. Robertson lingered 24 hours and then succumbed. Hartman is said to be improving under the Pasteur treatment.

Big Starch Combine.

New York, Feb. 16.—The Press publishes the following: "To combine the two largest starch industries in the United States, making one company with a capital stock of $25,000,000, is the object of negotiations now pending. The companies are the National Starch Manufacturing company and the United States company, both of which have their head offices in this city."

Junior Hatfield Convicted.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 16.—A jury in the court of quarter sessions last evening brought in a verdict of guilty against Junior Hatfield on two indictments for embezzlement from the Dime Savings and Loan association, of which he was the Paterson manager. Hatfield is to be tried on two more indictments of a like nature. His counsel will appeal.

New Baseball League Disbanded.

Chicago, Feb. 16. President Anson of the American Baseball association which was organized here Tuesday has declared that the new organization was a failure and would be disbanded.

Another Active Conscience.

Washington, Feb. 16. The secretary of the treasury has received in an envelope postmarked New York a conscience contribution of $205.

Weather Forecast.

Fair and colder; diminishing northwesterly winds.

GREAT FRENCH VICTORY

Rabah, the African Napoleon, Defeated In the Sudan.

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Former Slave Formed a Kingdom in Central Africa, Subjugating Potentate After Potentate Until He Became Head of a Vast Empire.

Paris, Feb. 16.—The minister of the colonies has received a telegram from the governor of the French Kongo, M. H. de Lamothe, announcing the defeat in battle of Rabah, the principal chieftain of the central Sudan, by a French expedition under M. Gentil.

Rabah has long been the strongest opponent of the extension of French influence in the Sudan. He was formerly a slave of Zobehr Pasha, himself a great Sudan ruler, but revolted and formed a kingdom of his own in central Africa, subjugating potentate after potentate until he became head of a vast empire. His career of victory gained for him the name of the "African Explorer." The French have been fighting his power for years, and yesterday's dispatch announces his overthrow.

It appears that he was strongly intrenched at Kouna, between the French Kongo and Lake Tchad, which is the objective of all French expeditions, whether across the Sahara from Algeria or from the French colonies in west Africa and the Kongo. Kouna was defended by 12,000 men, with 2,500 rifles and three cannon.

After a desperate fight, according to the dispatch, the French demolished the fortress. Two of Rabah's cannon were destroyed by the French shells. Rabah, who was wounded during the fight, fled six hours before its conclusion.

French Losses Heavy.

The commander of the French expedition, however, admits that practically half of his own force was placed hors de combat. Forty-three Senegalese sharpshooters were killed, and four Europeans, including Captain Robillot, and 106 Senegalese were wounded.

The commander of the expedition says in his report:

"We only had altogether 320 rifles, so I thought it inadvisable to continue the march to Lake Tchad. Captain Robillot occupies a 45 cantonment at Tounia."

The commander of the expedition returned to Bangue to inform the governor of the defeat of Rabah. He reports that the result will be very important, as Rabah is completely demoralized by his losses, estimated at between 2,000 and 3,000 killed. Rabah is fleeing almost alone to the north. The sultan of Baguirmi, a large territory hitherto overawed by Rabah, has joined Captain Robillot, and the route to Lake Tchad has been opened up for a steamer along the river Chari to endeavor to join hands with the Fourean expedition.

The governor has sent re-enforcements of Senegalese sharpshooters to enable the commander of the expedition to continue the march.

Life Lost on Wrecked Bridge.

Thompsonville, Conn., Feb. 16.—A portion of the bridge that spans the Connecticut river, connecting Enfield and Suffield, was carried away yesterday afternoon, and one life was lost. Hosea Keach, the station agent at Enfield, had a very narrow escape, as he was carried on a portion of the wreckage more than half a mile before he was rescued. The bridge was a covered wooden structure a third of a mile long, and about half of it was carried away. It went down in three sections. An unknown man who was on the bridge went down with one of the sections, which afterward went to pieces on an end of Terry's island.

Beggars Bother Charitable Man.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—D. K. Pearsons, who announced on Wednesday his intention to bestow in charity his fortune of $1,500,000, found his mail flooded with requests for aid from charitable institutions and individuals. There were 56 letters in the morning mail alone asking for financial help. Some of these requests had been received by Dr. Pearsons before, when he was giving to colleges and other institutions $2,500,000 of his property. None of these requests for aid is ever heeded. Dr. Pearsons has offered $15,000 to the Congregational Educational society provided the society raises $30,000.

Four Crushed to Death.

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Wrapped in furs and driving rapidly through the stinging atmosphere, four people dashed into the Canadian Pacific's Quebec express at a crossing near Three Rivers last evening and were crushed to death. The first of two sleighs reached the track directly ahead of the locomotive, which ground the occupants under its wheels. The horses of the second team ran over the sleigh of the first and struck the baggage car, those in the sleigh being mangled underneath the wheels of the car.

Hatfield Guilty of Embezzlement.

New York, Feb. 16.—Junior Hatfield, son of the late General Hatfield and for a time leader of fashionable society in Hackensack and Englewood, was convicted last night in Paterson, N. J., of embezzling $880 from the Dime Savings and Loan association, for which he was the Paterson manager. Hatfield is yet to be tried on two similar indictments.

Elizabeth's Spanish Gun.

New York, Feb. 16.—The city council of Elizabeth, N. J., has formally accepted the Krupp gun loaned to the city by the United States government. The gun was taken from the flagship of Admiral Cervera's fleet after the battle of Santiago.

Gales In British Isles.

London, Feb. 16.—The severe gales and the blizzard continue throughout the British isles, doing much damage to railway and telegraphic communication. The channel services are stopped, and numerous small coast casualties are reported.

A Short Sugar Crop.

Warsaw, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Ravages of the maple tree worm have damaged the groves of Wyoming county to an extent that will reduce the maple sugar crop, one of the staple productions of this section, by about one-half.

Monson Returns to Paris.

San Remo, Italy, Feb. 16.—The British embassador to France, Sir Edmund J. Monson, has left San Remo, saying his destination was Paris.

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STATE NEWS.

The third annual meeting of the Pascataqua Congregational club, an organization of which the societies in almost every town in Strafford and Rockingham counties is represented, will be held at the meeting house at Durham, on Thursday; Feb 22. The Rev. A. P. Bourne of Exeter, the secretary of the club, has arranged the order of the day.

The engagement is formerly announced of Prof. Frank H. Dixon of the economic department, Dartmouth college, to Miss Alice Lester Tucker, oldest daughter of President William Tucker of Dartmouth college. The announcement has caused quite a stir in the faculty and social circles, and congratulation have been freely offered to the couple.

Harry Woodman, aged 28, was found by section men in a dazed condition, beside the railroad track between Winnisquam and East Tilton station Friday afternoon about three o'clock. He was removed to the Cottage hospital, where he was attended by the staff physician, Dr. A. W. Abbott. How he came there is a mystery.

If New Hampshire people want free garden and flower seeds, this is the time for them to write requests to their member or senator. The New Hampshire delegation has a number of packages at its disposal.

Senator Chandler has been sent numerous requests from the state granges of New Hampshire asking that his recommendation be given to numerous contemplated rural free delivery routes.

A. Sidney Carroll and a crew of men from Portsmouth were engaged Friday in blasting the ice on the upper Cocheco river between the two Boston & Maine bridges at Dover.

Chairman William P Chadwick of the Kearsarge testimonial commission will soon visit Washington to make final arrangements regarding the time and nature of the naval pageants at Portsmouth, which will mark the presentation.

William Moran and his wife Delia, a Somersworth couple, were fined together $25.52 by Judge Frost of the police court for being drunk on Main street, Dover.

Richard Babb, 47, of Laconia, employed on the section of the Boston & Maine railroad at East Tilton, was struck by an extra locomotive, south bound, while lying between the rails near the Belmont junction and instantly killed.

Joseph Kidder of Manchester, grand secretary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, is restricted to his residence as the result of injuries received by falling on the postoffice steps.

It took every available inch of standing room, as well as every seat in the Nashua theatre, to accommodate the crowd that gathered there to witness the mock trial given under the auspices of Pennichuck lodge, I. O. O F.

A Purely Personal Fire.

There was a smell of fire in the house, the deep gray odor of burning cloth The man of the house began nosing about to find out what caused it He prides himself upon his keenness of scent. He went across the room

"Hum! It grows stronger," he said When he had his nose flat up against a brick and plaster wall, it was stronger than ever He backed off. "No; it's somewhere over here" At the door to the hall the odor was very pronounced He rushed down stairs into the dining room. The odor was there too He hurried down cellar It was overpowering

He put his hand into his coat pocket for a match He found the fire by his sense of touch and went up stairs and poured a glass of water into his pocket Since then he carries his matches in a box and is disposed to be incredulous when stories of incendiaries are narrated. He says conflagration, like charity, begins at home.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Storming the Winning Post.

William IV of England, who was bred to the sea, had no particular predilection for horse racing, but he so far interested himself in the sport as to take up his brother's stud to run out the engagement of George IV Just previous to the first appearance of the royal stud in his name the trainer sought an interview to know what was the royal pleasure—how many horses the king would send down. How the trainer must have stared when he heard the sailor king, as if giving a command for a three decker to fire a broadside, order the whole stud—upward of 100 horses—to be let off at one shot for a single race!

"Send down the whole squad!" said the king. "Some of them, I suppose, will win"

The Latter, Sure.

"I have never yet quite figured out," said the man who has succeeded pretty well, "whether my wife has faith in my ability to do things or whether her faith is in her ability to make me do them."—Indianapolis Journal

BRING OUT THE TWINS.

A prize of $50 has been offered by the Foresters for the handsomest twins in the city, the contest to be decided by votes at the coming benefit. Children of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hennessey and of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hickey have entered the contest.

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Tuesday, Feb. 20, Advent church, subject, "The Saloon vs. the Boy."

Wednesday, Feb. 21, Free Baptist church, subject, "The Saloon vs. the Wage Earner."

Thursday, Feb. 22, Christian church, subject, "The Saloon vs. the Merchant"

Friday, Feb 23, Methodist church, subject, "The Life of Christ." An illustrated song service and Bible reading. About 120 beautiful pictures will be shown illuminated by a powerful lime light stereopticon.

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On Sunday, Feb. 25, Rev J. H. Robbins of Concord, president of the state league, and Prof. J. M. Barker of the Boston University will be in the city to assist Mr. Fanning. These three gentlemen will occupy three prominent pulpits in the morning, and two of them will address a union mass meeting at night in which nearly all of the protestant churches in the city will unite

PROBATE COURT.

The following business was among the transactions at the session of probate court for the county of Rockingham for the week ending Feb. 15th:

Wills Proved—Of Mary Graney, Salem, Charles J Graney, executor; Isaac T. Norris, Epping, Irvin F. Norris, executor, Thomas Hobbs, North Hampton, Mary J and Addie S. Hobbs, executriess; Robert W. Neal, Newcastle, Stacy Hall, Executor.

Administration Granted—In estate of Sarah F. Weare, Hampton, John N Bradford, administrator,

Accounts Settled—In estate of Nathan B Tilton, East Kingston.

Inventories Filed—In estates of John E Dyson, David Dyson, Derry; Georgianna H. Downs, Portsmouth, Mary C Toppan, Hampton

License Granted—For sale of real property, estates of Henrietta W. Noyes, Atkinson; Nina M. Cate, Franklin, Wis., ward; personal property, estates of George Brown, Kensington, Samuel F. Leavitt, Northwood.

Reports Accepted—Of commissioners, estates of Louise S Nichols, Plaistow; Susan B. Hill, Hampton.

Guardians Appointed — Charles R Brown over George H. and Viola E Wilson, Deerfield, Oliver V Randall over Charles W. Neal, Newcastle.

Name Changed—Anna M. Davis, Raymond, to Anna M. Jones.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are some of the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending Feb. 14th, as recorded in the registry of deeds:

Kensington—Mary E. Prescott, Portsmouth, et als., to Josephine F. Prescott, Boston, land and buildings, $650.

Newfields—George W Pease 2nd, to Atwood B. Otis, half certain premises, $1

Portsmouth—Margaret T. Godfrey to Charles E. Walker, land, two dwelling and other buildings on Parker street, $1, Emma L. Hall, Brooklyn, to Philip T. McWilliams, land corner Jones avenue and New Broad streets, $1.

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THE Board of Registrars of Voters for the City of Portsmouth hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Common Council Chamber at City Hall in said City on the following dates, viz.: February 1st, 8th, 9th, 13th, 16th, 20th, 22d, 27th, March 2d, 5th, 1900, at the following hours: 9 A. M. to 12 M., 2 P. M. to 5 P. M., 7:30 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of making up and correcting the Check-Lists of the several Wards in said City to be used at the City Election to be held on March 13th, 1900.

The said Board will be in session at the same place on March 13th, 1900, from 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 P. M. to 4 P. M., for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names are omitted from the Lists.

Voters must bear in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their names are on the lists by presenting themselves at some meeting of the Board. This clause will be strictly enforced,

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EDWARD MEWLEY, Clerk. jan30,td

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SATURDAY, FEB. 17, 1900.

Kentucky should at least have a law that would limit a man to one gun.

No doubt the capitalists who are trying to float the axe trust will encounter choppy seas.

The flour trust is probably composed of a number of well bred gentlemen with plenty of dough.

So far as can be ascertained at this distance from South Africa, all kops look alike to Gen. Buller.

Lentz of Ohio is only a ten-millionth part of the democratic party's brains, but he's quite a chunk of its venom.

The volcanoes are very quiet. There has been no eruption of Vesuvius, Kilauea or Senator Mason in a long time.

Gen. Pio del Pilar, of the Tagal army, has died again. The general is gradually reducing this specialty to a continuous performance basis.

If Washington had crossed the Delaware as often as Buller has the Tugela he surely would have frozen to death. At least, the pictures justify that view.

Iowa has increased the salary of her governor from $3,000 a year to $5,000 And in the services of Gov. Shaw the state is getting far more than the worth of her money.

Texas lynchers hanged a white man the other night, but it appears to have been an error. The mob carried no lanterns, and probably mistook the victim's color in the darkness.

So far as the consent of the governed in the Philippines is concerned, there is no reason to suppose the bulk of the population would prefer an Aguinaldo dictatorship to American control.

Bryan's pop running mate, the Hon. Tom Watson, has emerged from obscurity long enough to intimate a return to the democratic fold. Tom will be as welcome as a snowstorm in harvest.

Expansion has always been odious to the souls of a few narrow-minded Americans. The kickers of 1804-5 said Jefferson had ruined his country by purchasing the Louisiana territory.

Between men who hold that the constitution is a fetter, meant to prevent our growth, and some of those fellows at the anti trust conference who want to wipe the constitution out entirely, what a gulf!

Why should these people returning from the Klondike with fabulous sums of money organize companies to work their claims? Why do they not use their own capital and take for themselves the immense profits promised?

If the Venezuelan government is going to use the army for the purpose of securing a loan from the banks, the latter should be provided with a navy to enforce collection according to approved modern methods.

If any "anti imperialist" covets the distinction of being denounced as a liar by Admiral Dewey all he has to do is to get up in meeting and charge that officer with having promised independence to the Filipinos. Dewey will do the rest.

That New York woman who wants to establish a school for the training of married women in the management of husbands is making her start in the wrong direction. The real crying need of the hour is a school for the training of married women in the treatment of their husbands.

RHODES RESCUED.

French's Troops Have Ridden Into Kimberley.

Shivering Cecil Can Come Out Of His Cellar.

Roberts Will Now Have To Revictual The Hungry Town.

LONDON, Feb. 16, 9:15 A. M.—The war office announces that General French reached Kimberley on Thursday evening. Following is Lord Roberts' message to the war office:

JACOBSDAL, Feb. 16, 2.00 A. M.—French, with a force of artillery, cavalry and mounted infantry, reached Kimberley this evening, Thursday.

From French Himself.

LONDON, Feb. 16, 7:14 P. M.—The war office makes public a despatch from Field Marshal Lord Roberts saying:

JACOBSDAL, Feb. 16.—The following from General French was received this morning: "I have completely dispersed the enemy from the southern side of Kimberley, from Alexander's Fontein to Oliphant's Fontein, and am going to occupy their ground. Have captured the enemy's laager and store depot supplies of ammunition. Casualties about twenty of all ranks wounded. Kimberley cheerful and well."

Another From Roberts.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The following despatch from Lord Roberts fills the gap in the earlier despatches:

MODDER RIVER, Feb. 16.—The Sixth division left Waterval Drift early yesterday morning and marched here, leaving the same evening for Rondeval Drift, to hold a crossing over the Modder and leave General French free to act. The cavalry is moving northward and has already reduced the pressure on Kimberley. General French has proceeded as far as Abonsdan, with slight loss, and is now pushing forward his outposts. His rear is held by mounted infantry.

Quiet At Ladysmith.

BOER HEAD LAAGER, LADYSMITH, Feb. 16.—The British last night kept up a bombardment of our camp east of Colenso. The Boers responded with rifle fire. All is quiet around Ladysmith.

Supplementary Estimate

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The house of commons today passed a supplementary army estimate of thirteen million pounds, by a vote of 213 to thirty-two.

A London Review Of The Situation.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—General Cronje is seemingly in full retreat northward, before Lord Roberts' army, with a start of a day or two. General French stayed in Kimberley only over night, and then pushed on after the enemy. A long Boer wagon train is proceeding toward Bloemfontein, presumably pursued by British infantry. In their hasty retreat, the Boers have lost a large quantity of supplies and ammunition. Lord Roberts will probably not push forward after the enemy yet awhile on account of transportation problems and his soldiers' need of rest. He has now to feed seventy thousand troops and the whole population of Kimberley. He must also rebuild the railway from the Modder river to Kimberley and revictual the latter. French lost but few men, but the forced marches and the heat made many of them ill. All over England tonight there are manifestations of public joy. The newspapers editorially rejoice this morning. There is only one disturbing factor in the situation, and that is the pressure by the Boers upon De Aar, Lord Roberts' base of supplies, which never was more important than it is now. It was rumored in the lobbies of the house of commons today that Buller had again crossed the Tugela. More artillery is being forwarded to Lord Roberts from Cape Town.

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Mr. Charles Kennedy, of 25 Gate street, says:—"A few years ago I was laid up with rheumatism for over two months so that I could not get out of the house. I never regained my former strength and my kidneys are apt to become sluggish. During the winter I was taken with a very lame back and the constant ache made me miserable. I was so sore over my kidneys that I could hardly pick up anything from the floor, and twinges caught me in the back that were excruciating. I went to Philbrick's pharmacy on Congress street for Doan's Kidney Pills; after I had commenced to use them I gradually grew better till the lameness and soreness entirely disappeared.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Roland B. Molineux was taken to Sing Sing on the afternoon train, reaching the prison at 3:15 o'clock. He was accompanied by General Molineux, his father, his brother, Leslie, and Lawyer Battles, who helped defend him. Before Molineux was taken in custody by the prison guards, he gave his companions each a hand clasp and a word of farewell. As he turned to follow the guards, he said, "Good bye, governor," and General Molineux responded, "Good bye, boy." After his return to this city tonight, General Molineux made a statement He condemned District Attorney Osborne for attacking Blanche Chesebore Molineux, young Molineux's wife, and referred to a statement which Osborne was reported to have made to the effect that General Molineux was himself conscious of his son's guilt. The father reiterated emphatically his firm belief in the innocence of his son.

IN THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The consideration of the financial bill having ended, the senate today resumed discussion of the Philippine question. Mr. McEnery, democrat, from Louisiana, opposed the permanent acquisition of the islands and favored relinquishing them so soon as American authority shall have been asserted. The bill providing a form of government for Hawaii was read, but nothing else was done with it.

THE MERRIMACK FALLING.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 16.—The Merrimack here this evening shows a fall of about a foot since morning. At eight o'clock tonight, there were four and a half feet of water on the dam The big ice jam at Martin's Ferry, a few miles above here, still holds, but the river has fallen at Hooksett, where the country was flooded last night.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Forecast for New England: Snow Saturday, brisk and probably high north and northeast winds; Sunday clearing and colder.

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Assistant Paymasters George W. Reeves and Stewart Rhodes, to temporary duty on the Independence, Mare Island yard for instructions, then to the Asiatic station.

Commander R. R. Ingersoll, from the Naval Academy to duty at the Norfolk as ordinance inspector.

Professor of Mathematics W. S. Eichelberger, to duty at the Naval Observatory, Washington.

Lieut. C. L. Mussey, from the Constellation and sick leave granted for two months.

Commander T. H. Stevens, from additional duty as ordinance inspector at Norfolk yard.

Capt. George C. Reiter, from the command of the Philadelphia, when received and to duty as general inspector of the Wisconsin Union Iron works, San Francisco.

Capt. William W. Meade, from duty as captain of the navy yard, Mare Island, to the command of the Philadelphia.

Capt. William H. Whiting, immediately to duty at the navy yard, Mare Island, as captain of the yard.

The Washington correspondents call anything Congressman Sulloway is interested in, a "hobby." Congressman Sulloway has a hobby for working for the interests of this section.

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"'Greasers,' he replied shortly, and, as a sort of a hard, steely light crept into his eyes when he snapped out the word, I didn't press him for details.

"We had a sort of a half baked 'Hey, Rube,' fight down in the middle of Starr county—we were working toward the south—and I noticed that the new man didn't take any part in it.

"'You've got to do your end of these mix ups,' I told him. 'When you hear the "Hey, Rube," hoot, it's a part of your business to grab the heaviest thing you can swing and rap the first duck that doesn't belong to the show with it. "Hey, Rube," means all hands around, and every man that draws wages from the show is expected to give a club swinging exhibition when that yell goes up.'

"'I'm saving myself for a game that's coming later on,' the man told me with another of those flinty glares stealing into his eyes. 'The show's bound for Camargo, Mexico, isn't it?'

"I told him that Camargo, Mexico, was on the date book; that it was probably the last town the show would appear in before going into winter quarters.

"'That's what I understood when I joined the show, and that's why I took the job,' said the man quietly. 'You just let me out of whatever scraps happen between here and Camargo. When we get there I'll do what I can to keep my end up.'

"Then the man opened up and told me why he had it in for Camargo.

"'A greaser tried to pink me with a knife in the back a couple of months ago over in Camargo,' he said. 'Don't know why. Never saw the gopher before. I was too quick for him and planted a ball in his shoulder. Then about a hundred of his pals hopped me, and they came near kicking me inside out. That's what ailed my head when I joined the show. When they got through with me, the half Injun constables got hold of me and chained me to the floor of a dungeon. I was there for two weeks, on bread and water, when I got the steel out of one of my boots and sawed myself loose. I broke out of the dungeon and swam the Rio Grande to get on American soil. While I was chained one of the guards made it his business to come into my dungeon every day and punch my sore head. Oh, I'm going to have some trouble in Camargo all right. That's what I joined the show for.'

"Now, it was my business as one of the responsible men of the show to peach on this fellow and have him fired before the show struck Camargo. But I didn't. A lot of old pals of mine in the circus business had told me of the way they had got the worst of it on many occasions at the hands of the Mexican authorities, and as I had along with me in my gang about the toughest bunch of fifty and odd bad scrappers that ever hit up a dirt road and as, besides, I felt that this quiet tentman had a genuine grievance, I just chewed a straw and walked away.

"A huge crowd of half breeds turned out for the show in Camargo. There was but one performance, the night show, and the ranchers for about a hundred miles around had galloped in to take in the show. About three-quarters of the bunch of several thousand in the tent were gaudily bedecked cow handlers. They all had knives in full sight, but no guns. Mexican cow punchers rarely pack guns. They don't fight on the level, and a knife isn't a level instrument to fight with.

"Before the flaps were pulled up for the crowd I noticed my quiet tentman getting a stack of wagon poles, nearly a hundred of them, piled together in a heap. I also noticed that none of the hands, either in my gang or in the other gangs—there were nearly 200 men all told connected with the show—were doing much talking. They seemed to be on edge for something that was going to happen.

"The last act of the 'concert' following the show was about over, and the greasers were leaving their seats, when my quiet tentman hopped on top of the pile of poles he had fixed and gave the 'Hey, Rube,' yelp—gave it like any bull of Bashan. He had put the whole gang of hands next, for they didn't waste a second in taking up the yelp all over the tent. Then they came a-rushing for the poles. Well, I thought I'd keep out of that one. I made for the shelter of a ticket wagon and saw it all from there. The quiet tentman served out all of his poles in less than two minutes, and then the hands began to break. First the constables in their funny blue uniforms and bare feet—20 of 'em—were batted into unconsciousness in less time than I'm telling it. The quiet tentman looked like a devil up in the front of the scrapping. In a spirit of complete defiance he quickly dropped his pole and began to use his fists. He was a six footer and built in proportion, and the way they went down was a caution. Finally his eye lit upon the prison guard who had beat him when he was chained, and, by a curious coincidence at the same moment, the greaser who had tried to stab him heaved in sight. The victim of Camargo dragged one to the other by the scruff of the neck, banged their heads together and then stabbed them both to the heart with one of the guard's knives. That was the last I ever saw of him, but he got away. We got across the Rio Grande in our barges just in time to see five troops of Mexican cavalry pull up on the banks of the Mexican side. The show would have been there yet if they'd been a bit earlier."—Washington Star

The Correct Answer.

In a recent civil service examination one of the questions asked was:

"What apparatus is required in a well equipped electric lighting plant of 500 16 candle power lamps capacity?"

"None," was the answer of the candidate who won the examination.—Electrical Review.

A FAITHFUL DOG.

Its Owner Realized Its Worth, as Well He Might.

"Well, I wouldn't have believed it," exclaimed Jones in astonishment as he dropped in to see Smith the other evening and was met in the hall by a St. Bernard dog.

"Wouldn't have believed what?" asked Smith.

"Why, that you'd have a dog in your house," continued Jones. "It belongs to one of your neighbors, I suppose?"

"No, sir; that's my dog," replied Smith proudly.

"You don't really mean it, old man? Why, I've known you now for five years, and you've always had a marked aversion for dogs."

"Yes, I did have until lately, but I wouldn't be without one now. This brute is a noble, faithful fellow, and I wouldn't take $100 spot cash for"—

But at this juncture he was interrupted by his wife calling down over the banister:

"Henry Smith, who was it that scattered these cigar ashes all over my dresser?"

"It must have been the dog, my dear," was his reply.

"And who was it that dropped these apple peelings on the floor?" she demanded.

"The dog, my dear," answered Smith.

"And there's a bottle of mucilage spilled on the hall carpet up here too. Is that some of your work, Henry?"

"No, my dear; the dog's to blame for that."

"And, goodness gracious," she continued angrily, "if some one hasn't been whittling up here again! How many times have I told you not to do that in the house?"

"But I had nothing to do with it, my dear. The dog's been up there probably chewing a stick."

"Well, it's a burning shame the way this house is mussed up. Your collars and ties are scattered all over the rooms."

"Are they, my dear? That dog's been up there again then. Yes," continued Smith as he drew his friend into the parlor, "I wouldn't take a big pot of money for that dog. Why, the noble fellow saves me about 20 jawings a week."

"So I see," chuckled Jones, "and you bet I'll have one before noon tomorrow."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

WILLING TO PAY FOR IT.

What Uncle Bill Wanted the Newspaper Publisher to Do.

A number of newspaper men were exchanging reminiscences a few days ago in a Court street inn. One of them, by the way, was an ex-publisher—that is to say, he once owned and edited a paper in the upper section of the state. One of his subscribers was William Makepeace Thackeray Willington, whose neighbors called him "Uncle Bill" to save time and labor.

"One day Uncle Bill walked into my office," said the former publisher. "He placed his whip in a corner and removed his hat. He asked if I was the editor. I pleaded guilty. 'Shake,' said he. 'I am glad to know ye. When I was a young feller, I used to do some writin myself.'

"Uncle Bill lapsed into silence and did some solid thinking for several minutes. Then he resumed the conversation. He said he liked the appearance of The Banner of Freedom mighty well and hoped it was not only bringing me fame, but money also. Naturally my bosom swelled with pride. The old man said he had only a few minutes to spare, and, before leaving, he wished to ask a favor. I supposed that he was about to spring a little poem which he had dashed off all by himself, but that wasn't the case. Uncle Bill said:

"'My son, I want to ask you a special favor. My eyes are not as strong as they were, and I would like to have you print my copy of the paper in a type two or three sizes larger than you use in the regular edition. Now, mind, I don't want you to do this for nothin. I'm willin to pay for it. Here's the money, and if that isn't enough let me know when my subscription is due again and I'll pay what's owin.'

"The old man dove his right hand into his pocket, fished out a silver half dollar and planked it on my table, saying: 'There's the money. If that isn't enough to cover the extree expense, let me know when I call in next spring, and I'll make it good. I'm willin to pay for any little favors.' Before I could explain the impossibility of his scheme he jumped into his buggy and started off for Deep Hollow."—Brooklyn Times.

A Curious Old Ad.

A Boston paper has unearthed this curious old advertisement from the Boston Post Boy and Advertiser for March 16, 1767: "The Bell-Cart will go through Boston, before the End of next March, to Collect Rags for the Paper Mills at Milton, when all People that will encourage the Paper Manufactory may dispose of them; the best Price will be given. They are taken in at Mr. Caleb Davis's Shop, at the Fortification; Mr. Andrew Gillespie's, near Dr. Clark's; Mr. Andrass Randale's, near Phillips's Wharf; and Mr. John Boies's in Long Lane; Mr. Frothingham's in Charleston; Mr. Williams's in Marblehead; Mr. Ellson's in Salem; Mr. John Harris's in Newbury; Mr. Daniel Fowle's in Portsmouth; and at the Paper Mill in Milton.

"Rags are as Beauties, which concealed lie;
But when in Paper, how it charms the Eye;
Pray save Rags, new Beauties to discover,
For Paper truly, every one's a Lover:
By th' Pen and Press such Knowledge is displayed,
As wouldn't exist if Paper was not made.
Wisdom of Things, mysterious, divine,
Illustriously doth on Paper shine."

But They Weren't Civilized.

Traveling in southern India, one day I was taken into the country to see tapioca roots gathered and ground for use. The adults working in the grove, men and women, had each a rag around the loins, but the boys and girls, with their black, glossy skins, were free of all incumbrance.

Our guide explained to these people that we were from a country so far away and so different from theirs that the waters were sometimes made solid by the extreme cold and we could walk upon them; that sometimes it was so intensely cold that the rain was frozen into particles and lay on the earth so deep that people could not walk through it, and that three and four layers of heavy clothes had to be worn.

This happy people, as our guide told us, wondered why we staid there, why we did not come and enjoy life in their favored clime.—Andrew Carnegie in North American Review.

To a certain extent all animals that live in the sea, such as whales, dolphins and porpoises, have the power to store up air, as they breathe only at intervals, when they come to the surface for that purpose.

When a person is down in the world, an ounce of help is better than a pound of preaching.—Bulwer.

THE WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL.

Ingenious Automatic Mechanism by Which Its Coal Is Handled.

There are many things about the management of a large hotel which the patron takes for granted without inquiry or investigation. He can form no idea of the methods employed from what he sees in the office, the corridors, the dining rooms and the other parts of the building to which he has access, and there are not many guests who wish to pry into the secrets.

For those who take an interest in such matters the arrangements for receiving and disposing the coal are not the least interesting. The Waldorf-Astoria uses 140 tons of coal every 24 hours during the winter months. This coal is all delivered on the Thirty-fourth street side of the building, but one rarely sees a coal cart in front of the hotel. It is all of the pea and buckwheat sizes and is dumped from the carts into an opening in the ground in the middle of the Astor court roadway. It falls into a hopper, which holds about 10,000 pounds, and from there it is carried on an endless chain provided with buckets to a vast coal bin, which has a capacity of 700 tons. Daylight never reaches this bin, which, with its few blinking lights and great piles of coal, reaching nearly to the vaulted roof, looks like a corner in a coal mine and little like an annex to a palatial hotel. By an arrangement of levers the coal may be dumped from the buckets at various points, so that with the aid of a shoveler it may be evenly distributed in the bin.

The boiler room is situated lower down in the ground, and the coal reaches the fire boxes without being handled. When the boiler attendant needs coal for his fire, he pulls a lever, which opens a trap, and through this half a ton of coal falls into a feeder, which looks like a monster funnel. When the feeder has been filled, it is pushed forward on an overhead track, and when it has reached the proper point a trap in the narrow end of the funnel is drawn aside, and the coal drops into a trough in front of the fire box, whence it goes into the fire.

From the time it leaves the coal wagon until it enters the fire the coal takes care of itself, and, with the exception of the straightening out in the bin, which is done by one man during the day and one man at night, and the distribution over the fire surface by the boiler attendant, the 140 tons of coal which are used every day are handled by machinery.—New York Tribune.

DID AS LOGAN DID.

When Medill Gave Cullom the Chance of Making It.

Joseph Medill, the famous editor of the Chicago Tribune, and Senator Cullom were once political antagonists, and at that time Cullom read all manner of "shots" at him on the editorial page of The Tribune. That time, too, was in a campaign when such shots were supposed to count. Mr. Medill held to the good old fashioned doctrine that an infusion of the personal in journalism seasoned the editorial page. The senator understood this and treasured no grievance. One day at the close of the campaign during which The Tribune had conducted continuous hostilities toward him he was in Chicago and, meeting a Tribune man, inquired how his old friend Medill was. Before he knew what was going on the senator found that smart young man had informed Mr. Medill he wanted to see him and that Mr. Medill had telephoned back that he was at The Tribune office.

"Of course," said the senator, "I went up there, although I had no such intention when the conversation started. As I went in Mr. Medill greeted me very cordially. He evidently wasn't entertaining anything personal against me, so I asked:

"'Look here! Medill! Why in thunder have you been roasting me all through the campaign?'

"'Cullom, sit down and let me tell you a story. John A. Logan asked me a question very much like that at the close of a campaign some years ago. He didn't like what The Tribune had been saying about him. One day I heard a knock at the door. I said, "Come in!" The door opened, and there was "Black Jack" with his eyes flashing, his hair thrown back and a look on his face a little fiercer than usual. "Come in," I said again. "Do I come in a friend or a foe?" said Logan. "I pass, senator. You make it," I said. Logan came in and sat down, and we had a pleasant visit.'

"Of course," said Senator Cullom, "I 'followed suit' when Medill had told his story on Logan. I found him very genial. It was evident at once he hadn't anything against me."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Birth of the Daisy.

The origin of the daisy is very prettily told in the following legend: It was the belief of the Celtic people that when an infant was taken away from earth a flower was sent. A woman, Malvina, lost an infant son, but as she sat brooding and inconsolable her attendants came running in with joyful news. "Oh, Malvina," they cried, "your babe has come back—a wondrous new flower has come to earth—white are its leaves near the heart, but nearer the edges tinted with pink or crimson like an infant's flesh! When the wind waves it on the hillside, behold, 'tis a child playing to and fro!" And Malvina rose and looked upon her flower and no more mourned, saying, "This flower, Malvina's son returned, will comfort all mothers that have lost their infants."

Stand Up For Your Own.

Frank Everest of Atchinson—and peace to his ashes—going to Europe for the first time, met an old traveler, who exclaimed: "What, have you never been in London? Why, I go over every year!"

An hour later Everest and the traveler were talking of the Missouri valley, when Everest got it back with: "Never been to Omaha? Why, I go there every week!"

There are too many men on earth who believe with the traveler that dense population makes civilization, and too few Everests brave enough to stand up and testify for the Omahas of this world.—Atchison Globe.

And Not With Water.

"I gave that poor man a dollar a few days ago and told him to come around and let me know how he got along."

"Oh, that was good of you! He was your bread cast upon the waters."

"I suppose he was. Anyhow he came back 'soaked.'"—Pittsburg News.

Each letter carrier of India has a run of six miles, and at the end of it is relieved by another carrier, who at once begins his run. Thus the mail is conveyed over unpopulous sections in comparatively quick time.

In St. Petersburg is the largest bronze statue in existence—that of Peter the Great—which weighs 1,000 tons.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. L. H. Thayer, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00 M. Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M. Vesper service at 7:30. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00 M. Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:45 P. M. All are invited.

FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Robert L. Duston, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer and social meeting Friday evening.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Church hill, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, rector. Sunday, at 10:30 A. M., morning prayer, litany and sermon. Holy communion, first Sunday in every month and the greater festivals, 12:00 M. Holy days, 8:30 A. M. Evensong, Sundays, 3:00 P. M. Fridays, Ember days, in chapel at 5:00 P. M. Parish Sunday school in chapel at 3:00 P. M. At the evensong service, both in church and chapel, the seats are free. At all the services strangers are cordially welcomed and provided for.

CHRIST CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Madison street, head of Austin street. Rev. Charles LeV. Brine, rector. On Sundays, holy communion at 7:30, matins or holy communion at 10:30 A. M., Sunday school at 12:00 M., evensong at 7:30 P. M. On week days, matins (daily) at 9:00 A. M., evensong (daily) at 5:00, on Friday, evensong at 7:30 P. M., holy communion, Thursday at 7:30 A. M. On holy days, holy communion at 7:30, matins at 9:00 A. M., evensong at 7:30 P. M. Seats free and unappropriated. Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

State street, Rev. Wm. Warren, pastor. Morning prayer at 10:00. Preaching service 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Court street, Rev. Myron Tyler, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.

Pleasant street, corner Junkins avenue. Rev. George E. Leighton, pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Administration of the holy sacrament the first Sunday in the month at 11:45 A. M. Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the vestry. Strangers are especially welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.

C. M. Seamans, pastor. Social service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Loyal Workers meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer service at 7:15 P. M. All are invited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Rev. Eugene M. O'Callaghan, pastor. Services at 8:30 and 10:30 A. M. Vespers at 3:00 P. M.

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PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Rev. R. L. Harris, pastor. Service from 11 to 12 every Sunday morning. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Praise meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching at 8 P. M. Young people's meeting on Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Cottage meetings on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services, which are free to all.

SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 A. M. Holiness meeting at 10:00 A. M. Free and easy at 3:00 P. M. Salvation meeting at 8:00 P. M.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. C. Andrews, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Evening service at 7:00. All are cordially invited.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M.

SECOND CHRISTIAN CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M. All are welcome

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Prayer meeting at 11:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:00 day 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

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For Somersworth, 4.50, 9.45, 9.55* a. m., 2.40, 2.45 5.26 p. m.

For Rochester, 9.55 a. m., 2.40, 2.45 5.30 p. m.

For Dover, 4.50, 9.45 a. m., 12.20, 2 40, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sundays, 8.00, 10.48 a. m., 8.57 p m.

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Portsmouth, 8.30 a. m., 12.45 5.25 p. m.

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Epping, 9.22 a. m., 1.21, 6.08 p. m.

Raymond, 9.32 a. m., 1.32, 6.18 p. m.

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Concord, 7.45, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

Manchester, 8.30, 11.10 a. m., 4.?0 p. m.

Raymond, 9.10, 11.48 a. m., 5.02 p. m.

Epping, 9.22 a. m., 12.00 m., 5.15 p. m.

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TIME TABLE.

Leave Navy yard—8:00*, 8:20, 8:40, 9:15, 10:00 11:45 p. m. 1:45, 2:05, 3:00, 4.00 4:45, 5:15, 7:30 p. m. (Wednesdays and Saturdays,) Sundays, 9:45, 10.15 a. m., 12:10, 12:30 p. m. Holiday 9:40, 10:30, 11:30 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth—8:10*, 8:30, 8:50, 9:?0 a. m., 12:15, 1:55, 2:15, 3:30, 4:20, 5:00, 6:00 p. m., (Wednesdays and Saturdays.) Sundays, 9:05, 10.00 a. m., 12:00 m., 12:20 12:45 p. Holidays, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:00 m.

*From May until October.

Portsmouth, Kittery and York Street Railway

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In Effect November 26, 1899.

Until further notice cars will run as follows:

Ferry leaves P. K. & Y. landing, Portsmouth for Kittery, Kittery Point and Sea Point—6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 20, 8 50, 9 20, 9 50, 10 20, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m.; 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 20, 8 50, 9 20, 9 50, 10 50 p. m.

For York Corner, York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6 50, 8 20, 9 50, 11 20 a. m.; 12 50, 2 20, 3 50, 5 20, 6 50, 8 20, 9 50 p. m.

Car leaves York Beach for Portsmouth 5 45, 6 45, 8 15, 9 45, 11 15 a. m.; 12 45, 2 15, 2 45, 5 15, 6 45, 8 15, 9 45, p. m.

Ferry plies between Portsmouth and Badger's island, making close connection with the electric cars.

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THE HERALD.

SATURDAY. FEB. 17. 1900.

CITY BRIEFS

Look out for snow.

The storm signal is up.

The Kittery Pythians are great entertainers.

Lent begins a week from next Wednesday.

The Yacht club's new pool table was set up Friday.

How sweet and smiling February can be when it half tries.

The predicted snow storm has been postponed once more.

A matinee of a minstrel show is a novelty for Portsmouth.

The weather of the past few days has been ideal for the time of year.

The parade of the minstrels this noon was witnessed by quite a crowd.

Al G. Field carries as fine a minstrel band as the country has ever heard.

The New Hampshire Daughters meet in Pierce hall, Boston, this afternoon.

Tomorrow will be Sexagesima Sunday, the second before Ash Wednesday.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's,) No. 1 Congress street.

The work on the interior of the Piscataqua club rooms is almost completed.

Christine McDonald of this city has been granted a pension of eight dollars per month.

The *Herald's* sporting column is the cleanest and brightest ever conducted in this city.

A large crowd listened to the band concert by the Field minstrels on the square this noon.

The "S. G" Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

Rubber heels become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article

A well known merchant whose establishment is one of the oldest in the city is shortly to retire and go out of business.

The steamer Turret Crown, of the whaleback style, is on her way here with coal for the Boston and Maine railroad.

The ice prospects have greatly brightened within the last two days. The crop is found to have gained a deal of stability.

A year ago at this time the streets were covered with snow, but a week or two before they were in much the same condition that they are now.

$50, invested on Stock Exchange will yield $500 No charge until profits have reached that amount. Highest reference. Ainslie & Co, 31 Broadway New York.

It is said in political circles that the socialists are to put a complete municipal ticket in the field in ward three, and run a mayoralty candidate in every ward in town.

The subject of the Sunday evening lecture at the Middle street Baptist church to the young people will be, "Certain Habits That are Harmful to the Best Manhood and Womanhood."

The streets were nearly deserted at an early hour last evening and many stores which are usually open until nine o'clock were closed at eight, the cause being undoubtedly the presence of nearly everyone at the Co. B ball.

The second floor over Charles H. Clark's provision store on Congress street has been fitted over into offices and entrance will be gained by way of a stairway now being placed in position on the side of the store nearest Jackson's Express office.

Next Wednesday evening, February 21st, occurs the annual concert and ball of Moses H. Goodrich, S. F. E. Co. No. 4 at Philbrick hall. Remember, Grand March at 8.30 o'clock.

The Globe Grocery Co. have divided their entire stock of Ladies' Tailor Made Suits into two lots. The first lot that retailed at from $9 50 to $15.00 for $8.00 each. The second lot that retailed at from $15.00 to $30.00 are cut to $12.00 each. The $12.00 suits are taffeta silk, lined throughout, and our retail price was far below Boston prices. The weather has been very unsatisfactory this season and for this reason we offer these wonderful bargains to put them into cash without delay.

THE SCHEDA CONCERT.

Music lovers will no doubt be present in large numbers at the Scheda grand concert, to be given on February 26th at Music hall. Mr Scheda will, on the occasion, render, among others, the air with variations on the G string only, the most difficult of all the compositions of Paganini, the greatest violinist that ever lived.

GRAND MILITARY BALL.

Company B Gratified At a Crowded Hall.

Lurvey's Lynn Cadet Band Proved a Magnetic Feature.

A Most Successful Event Culture Of Portsmouth Present.

Thronged galleries and a big bevy of dancers on the smooth floor below, at the military ball of Company B, Second Regiment, New Hampshire National Guard, in Philbrick hall, Friday night, indicated in a most gratifying manner the disposition of Portsmouth to substantially aid the organization in its earnest efforts to become the crack company of the state Not only were all the seats above stairs occupied, but people were standing in scores. And in the dancing space the conditions would have been decidedly adverse to waltzing with any comfort. had many more couples been present.

This was all very pleasing to the militia boys, who had worked hard to crown the affair with success. That the attendance would be large had been forecasted by the extensive advance sale of tickets, but the crowd far exceeded all anticipations.

The cultured ones of the city were there in noticeable numbers, the front rows in the galleries containing many of the most prominent people in social and aristocratic circles.

The company had secured Lurvey's Lynn Cadet band, a favorite musical organization with Portsmouth, and it was a neat stroke of enterprise. This magnet alone would suffice to assure a large patronage Prior to the dancing, Lurvey's men were heard in a choice concert programme. They were never in finer fettle, and each selection was a treat. Bandmaster S. S. Lurvey, with his usual high taste, entrusted to his musicians the following numbers:

March, "Guard Mount,"	Eilenberg
Overture, "William Tell,"	Rossini
Trombone Solo, "The Holy City," Mr. H. R. Haggett.	Adams
(a) Intermezzo, "Salome,"	Loraine
(b) Patrol, "Patriotic,"	Gaune
Descriptive, "A Hunting Scene,"	Bucalossi
Finale, "The Hero,"	Fisher

The concert was varied by manual and bayonet drills and the appearance of Miss Marion Brown, the city's graceful little dancer. Captain Peverley and his squad of sixteen men went through the drills with precision and despatch, and fully merited the applause that was given them. Miss Brown, in her familiar solo dance and the fisher's hornpipe, also won the plaudits of those in the galleries.

Shortly before ten o'clock, the grand promenade was formed, with one one hundred couples. Leading were Captain Horace Peverly and Miss Florence Coleman, Lieutenant George F. Snow and Miss Mildred Barutio.

There were twenty-two regular dances on the list, and extras, and it was after two o'clock before the ball finished. The novelty of dancing to the music of a band of the first order was fully appreciated by those on the floor.

Extreme elaboration in the matter of decorations had not been attempted, but the streamers in the national colors and the flags were tastily arranged, while a profusion of potted palms set off the stage charmingly.

Among those present were militiamen from Dover, Somersworth and Rochester. These out-of-town guests were considerately looked after.

The reception committee consisted of the following: Lieut. J. H. Peverly, Lieut. G. F. Snow; I. H. Washburn, (lieutenant-elect); Capt. Low, U. S. M. C.; Brig. Gen. Chauncey B. Hoyt, U. R. K. P.; Mayor Calvin Page; Postmaster John H. Bartlett; Sergeant C. J. Wheeler; Charles A. Richmond; Chief Boatswain W. H. Hill, U. S. N.

The dancing arrangements were capably handled by the following members of the company:

Marshal, Lieut. J. H. Peverly;

Asst. Marshals, Lieut. G. F. Snow, I. H. Washburn, lieutenant elect;

Floor Director, Sergt. W. E. Peverly;

Asst. Floor Directors, Sergt. W. H. Falconer, Musician W. J. Kehoe;

Aids, Sergt, Mitchell, Sergt. Wheeler, Corp. Hoyt, Corp. Joslyn, Corp. Lane, Privates McPheters, Scott, Marshall, Costello, Riddensdale, Sanford, Mara.

THE EVENING STANDARD.

The semi-centennial issue of the New Bedford Evening Standard, a copy of which has been received at this office, shows that the paper is one of which the city and its management may well be proud, and the history of the building up of the Standard plant is very interesting and may be followed with profit.

PERSONALS

Miss Winnie Broadbent of Dover is the guest of friends in this city.

Alfred Hamilton of Dover was in town on Friday and attended the military ball that evening.

Mrs. Julian P, Trask, who has been passing a week in this city has returned to her home in Laconia.

Mrs. Charles Simpson entertained the Friendship club at her home on State street, Thursday evening

Mrs. Walter S. Philbrick and son Byron of Rye beach are guests of Mrs. Frank Philbrick of Hanover street.

Mr. Preston Cotton was among the visitors in town on Friday and attended the ball of Company B that evening.

Messrs. John Marshall and Hugh Marshall of Dover were here on Friday and attended the ball of Company B.

Miss Myra Sweetser of the New Haven hospital, New Haven, Conn., has arrived home to pass a short vacation with Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sweetser of Cabot.

Rev. Father O'Callaghan was the guest of Rev. Father Murphy in Dover on Friday. Other guests of Father Murphy were Rt. Rev. Denis M. Bradley of Manchester and the Rev. John Barry, V. G., of Concord.

TEA TABLE TALK.

The Portsmouth people who are planning to attend the Paris exposition will probably be somewhat taken aback at the announcement that the prices of transportation to Europe will be greatly advanced the coming spring. A fifteen per cent increase is anticipated. This will dampen the ardor of a lot of them.

Still we read in the papers that So-and-so has "accepted" a position somewhere. This is too silly to be kept up. As a matter of fact, not one person in a thousand ever accepts a place anywhere. Jobs are not held out on a silver tray, with a scented note beseeching their acceptance. A fellow usually gets a position by asking for it. Then why not frankly say that So-and-so has "secured" a position.

The cycling season will probably open unusually early this year. The spring of '98 may be duplicated. Then the wheelmen were out in March and there was excellent riding by the first of April. As a joke, though, the weather man may give us sleighing on April fool's day, instead of bare roads.

The first thin ice fatality of the winter in Portsmouth has happened at last. It is almost inevitable that at least one poor youngster shall meet death that way, during the skating season. That this instance should occur right in town, however, with scores of other young folks near the scene, was not looked for.

After all, what is fame? Here is the usually reliable New York Sun saying that Tom "March" and Dan "Mahoney" of Portsmouth, N. H., were at the horse sale in Madison Square garden. And the two were at the very fore of the turf events last season.

The youths who lose sleep unless they are dressed exactly in the prevailing style all the time are very particular this season, when selecting ties, to pick out the loudest colors they can find. The haberdashers say that high grade bright goods were never in such demand as they are now. The popular ties at present are of the double and imperial style, fastened with a small pin.

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I should say so; they all say the same too, when they get them. Who is there that would refuse such works of art when they can get them for almost nothing. Ask your grocer for a coupon book, which will enable you to get one large 10c package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 10c package of "Hubinger's Best" starch, with the premiums. two Shakespeare panels, printed in twelve beautiful colors as natural as life, or one Twentieth Century Girl calendar, the finest of its kind ever printed, all for 5c.

THIS MONTH'S MOON.

A very rare astronomical feature belongs to February, 1900; it will have no new moon. January had two and March will have two

A moonless month has not occurred since February, 1866, and will not, it is said, occur again for a vastly greater space of time.

WATER FRONT NEWS.

Arrived Feb. 17 —Steamer Plymouth and barge C. R. R. of N J., No. 7, Port Johnson; British steam Turret Crown, Louisburg, coal for J. A. & A. W. Walker.

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ROADSIDE FRUIT IN EUROPE.

Some Interesting Facts Gathered For Herald Readers by Mr. R. E. Rich.

Will the *Herald* accept a few notions gathered from the consular reports on the subject above?

Along the highways of France, following the example set by the government the Communes are planting fruit trees to such an extent that the cultivation has become an important national industry; this country having produced $60,000,000 worth since its first planting.

It is not, however, in France only, that fruit trees have been planted along the roadside; in Germany, Belgium and the Duchy of Luxemberg, the work has been greatly developed, bringing wealth and beauty to the several states. On the roads of Wurtemburg, for instance, the fruit harvests from this source produced in 1878 over $200,000, and last year the returns had more than trebled.

The annual revenue derived from the national roads of Saxony planted with fruit trees were from $9,000 in 1880 to $42,000 in 1892 furnishing a total of $340,000 for the thirteen years. In Belgium, according to records of 1894, over 4630 kilometers, (say 2876 miles) of roads were planted with 741,671 fruit trees, which furnished the astonishing sum of $2,000,000. In Westphalia, the duchies of Baden and Saxe-Weimar, in Switzerland, etc., the employes of the administration of roads are instructed in fruit arborculture.

May not some such venture be made along our roads? Admitting much that may be said of small boys, politicians, tramps, etc, and very likely our friends over sea had like deterrents, nevertheless I should like to see a small beginning here to bring beauty and profit and the oil of joy from ashes and the roadside's wastes.

We can supply the hospital, the old ladies' home and the children's home with the best of fruit without added taxation. R. E. RICH.

PROFANITY POINT.

Government Officers Want to Chance the Name But Not the Obstruction.

A special despatch from Washington to the Manchester Union says·

Representative Cyrus Sulloway of New Hampshire has just had his fondest hopes blasted For years he has had a hobby—the improvement of Pull-and-be-Damned point in Portsmouth harbor. During all this time he has pulled for the improvement and the final answer given him is much like the most emphatic word in the picturesque name of the obstruction. A report filed by the engineer officers, with an elaborate map attached, is to the effect that Pull-and be-Damned point does not merit an outlay of government money for its removal.

In the course of the long crusade government officers have tried to call the obstruction Goat Island ledge, but Sulloway protested vociferously against the changes made in his bill and finally succeeded in securing the official sanction for the use of the hyphenated title. But that is about all he did succeed in doing. The point will remain where it is and vessels unfortunate enough to bump into it may pull and be blessed.

Lieut. Charles Keller, of the engineer corps, who made the examination, says in part:

"The obstruction at this point is a submerged ledge which extends from Goat island into the Piscataqua river opposite Fort Sullivan on Seavey's island.

"The average distance from low water line at Goat island to the thirty foot contour on the ledge is about 300 feet, while the channel width between the thirty foot contours on the ledge and at Seavey's island is shown on the coast survey chart to be about 575 feet. The channel is, moreover, straight for a quarter of a mile above and over a mile below Pull-and be Damned point. Personal inquiry among persons interested in navigation fail to disclose any need or demand for a better channel than now exists.

"The removal of Pull-and-be-Damned point would not in itself improve existing conditions, since any real difficulty to navigation in this neighborhood is caused by the necessity of making a sharp change of direction above Pull-and be-Damned point, in order to clear the projecting point of Seavey's island.

"The locality is therefore not deemed worthy of improvements by the United States, and no estimates are submitted."

FIRST CLASS MINSTREL SHOW.

Al. G. Field's great minstrel aggregation appeared at Music hall this afternoon, playing before a crowded house, standing room being at a premium. The show was up to date in all particulars. The overture was all that has been promised and the vocal department was unusually strong. Al G. Field was as bright a comedian as could be desired. One of the best features was the splendid exhibition given by the Faust family, composed of seven men and boys, all remarkably proficient in their line. Mr. Field certainly maintained his excellent reputation for presenting first class minstrelsy.

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GRAFFORT CLUB MUSICALE.

The Graffort club's musicale, Friday afternoon, was devoted to Gottschalk and Raff There was a goodly attendance. The following selections were rendered in illustration of the themes:

GOTTSCHALK.

Life of Gottschalk,	Miss Remick
Radieuse.	Miss Montgomery and Miss Gile
"O Loving Heart, Trust On,"	Mr. Parker
Opera "Grand Polka,"	Miss Perkins

RAFF.

Life of Raff,	Miss deRochemont
"La Fileuse de la Reine,"	Miss Gile
"Ever of Thee,"	Miss Montgomery
"Valse Impromptu, a la Tyrolienne,"	Miss Chapman
"Recess' Last Song,"	Mrs. Spinney

POLICE COURT.

George Hector, colored, was arraigned before Judge Emery in police court at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon and was convicted of being intoxicated and creating a disturbance at his home. He was fined $3 and costs of $6.90. This amount was paid.

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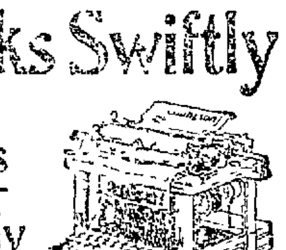

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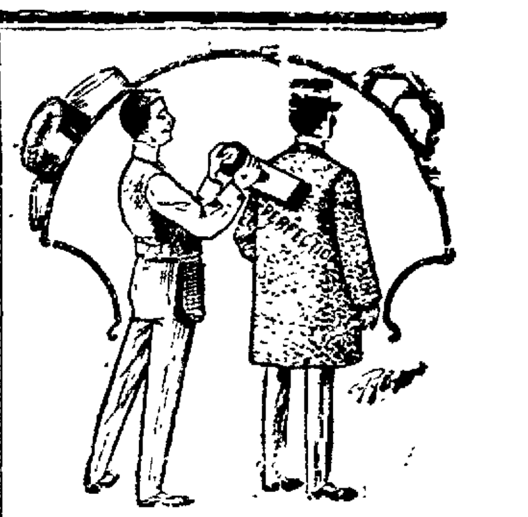

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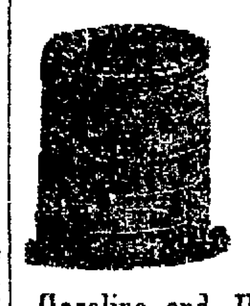

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